

VERSION WITH MARKINGS TO SHOW CHANGES MADE

IN THE CLAIMS:

Claim 16 has been amended as follows:

16. (Amended three times) A method of improving wear resistance of a cosmetic having a plurality of particulates comprising applying to a person a cosmetic composition comprising:

a plurality of particulates, at least some of which are coated with fluorosilane;

a vehicle suitable for application to the skin; and

an ingredient selected from the group consisting of: a chelating agent, a film former, a plasticizer, a resin, a retinoid, a skin penetration enhancer, a stabilizer, a sunscreen, a vitamin, a wax, and any combinations thereof;

wherein said cosmetic composition is a product selected from the group consisting of a an eye shadow, and wherein said fluorosilane is about 0.01 wt% to about 1.5 wt% of the total weight of the cosmetic composition;

a liquid make-up, and wherein said fluorosilane is about 0.01 wt% to about 0.5 wt% of the total weight of the cosmetic composition.

a concealer; and

a cream make-up.